HONGKONG, SATURDAY, APRIL 20, 1889.

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Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

REBERVE LIABILITY OF PRO- \$7,500,000 COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman-W. H. Forbes, Esq. Deputy Chairman H. L. DALRYMPLE, Esq. Hon. JOHN BRLI. S. C. MICHARLSEN, IRVING. W. G. BRODIE, Esq. J. S. Moses, Esq. T. E. DAVIES, Esq. L. POESNECKER, Esq. J. F. HOLLIDAY, Esq. N. A. Siebs, Esq. E. A. Solomon, Esq. Hon. B. LAYTON.

CHIEF MANAGER. Hongkong,G. E. Noble, Esq. MANAGER. Shanghai Ewen Cameton, Esq. LONDON BANKERS,-London and County Bank.

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED. N Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent, per annum on the daily

On Fixed Deposits:-For 3 months, 3 per cent, per annum. n 4 per cent. n n 5 per cent. n > -

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Ordits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. G. E. NOBLE,

Ohief Manager. Hongkong, March 8, 1889.

NOTIOE. TOULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS' BANK.

1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3: Saturdays, 10

2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. n any one year. 3. Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at

their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. 4.—Interest at the rate of 35 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances.

5. - Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be preconted with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make | year 1884 has been declared. any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the lat May. the beginning of January and begin-

6. Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings' Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China. 7. —Withdrawals may be made on demand,

but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book tre necessary.

HONGRONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, G. E. NOBLE. Chief Marauger. Hougkong, January 1, 1869.

Intimations

THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE-SHANGHAI. REGISTERED OFFICE-37 & 39, QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG,

THE Fourth Ordinary General MEET-ING of the SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Company's HEAD OFFICE, 13, Nanking Road, SHANGHAL, at 11 o'Clock in the Forencon of SATURDAY, April 27th, 1889, when the Report and Accounts for the year ended, 28th February, 1889, will be presented. The Transfer BOOKS will be CLOSED from the 22nd to 27th Instant (both days

By Order of the Directors. W. HAYWARD.

Secretary. Shanghai, 5th April, 1889.

THE HONGKONG ELECTRIC

COMPANY, LIMITED.

CHAREHOLDERS are requested to send in their BANKERS' RECEIPT and LETTER Proxino. of ALLOTHERY in EXCHANGE for SCRIP which is now ready for delivery. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Managers. Honghong, April 9, 1889.

Intimations.

BANK HOLIDAYS.

TN acc dance with Ordinance No. 6 1875, the Undermentioned BANKS will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business on FRIDAY, the 19th Instant (Good FRIDAY), and on MONDAY, the 22nd Instant (Easter Monday). For the 'Chartered Mercantile Bank of

India, London and China.' JOHN THURBURN. Manager, Hongkong. For the 'Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China,

T. H. WHITEHEAD. Manager, Hongkong. OEYLON :- W. M. SMITH & Co., THE For the 'Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,

G. E. NOBLE. Chief Manager. For the 'Comptoir d'Escompte de Paris,' CHANTREY INCHBALD.

Agent, Hongkong.

For the New 'Oriental Bank Corporation, Limited, E. W. RUTTER. Manager, Hongkong.

Hongkong. April 16, 1889. HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

SEVENTH PRIZE MEETING. OVER 1,000 DOLLARS TO BE GIVEN

ITO be held on FRIDAY, SATURDAY, and MONDAY, 19th, 20th and 22nd April, 1889. Pools, Sweepstakes, and several Events open to All Comers.

IN PRIZES.

Programmes and all particulars on appli-Persona desirous of joining the Association should send in their names at once. A. SHELTON HOOPER, Hon. Secretary.

c/o Hongkong Club. Hongkong, April 1, 1889.

HONGKONG CLUB. THE Third Yearly General MEETING I of the MEMBERS of the CLUB, will be held at the CLUB HOUSE, on

By Order. C. H. GRACE. Secretary. Hongkong, April 15, 1889.

THURSDAY, the 25th April, at 4.30 p.m.

HONGKONG. CLUB. NEXTRAORDINARY General MEET.

A ING of the MEMBERS of the CLUB. will be held immediately on the conclusion; of the above Third Yearly General Meeting. for the purposes set forth in the Notice posted in the Hall of the Club House.

> By Order, C. H. GRACE, Secretary.

Hongkong, April 15, 1889. THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY. COMPANY, LIMITED.

NYOTICE is hereby given that an EX-TRAORDINARY General MEET. Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their ING of the Company will be held at the Company's REGISTERED OFFICE in Victoria Buildings, No. 7, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the LAND INVESTMENT AND 23rd April, at 12 o'Clock Noon, the objects and business of which Meeting will to to depositor may deposit more than \$2,560 submit for Confirmation the Special Resolution passed at the Meeting held This Day. ALEXANDER LEVY.

> Secretary (pro. tem.) Horgkong, April 6, 1889. UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF

CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

A N Interim BONUS of TWENTY PER CENT. upon Contributions for the WARRANTS may be had on application at the Office of the Society on and after

By Order of the Board, N. J. EDE, Secretary.

Hongkong, April 16, 1889 THE HONGKONG BRICK & CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

THIS Company is now prepared to Manufacture Machine-Pressed BUILDING BRICKS of Superior Quality, in White or RED CLAY.

Also SPECIALITIES, such as STRING COURSES, WINDOW HEADS, RIDGES, COPINGS, TILES, EARTHENWARE DRAIN PIPES, GULLIES, CESS-POOLS and other SANITARY FITTINGS.

FIRE BRICKS and all descriptions of FIRE CLAY GOODS.

For Prices and other Particulars, Apply to

W. H. WALKER, Bank Buildings.

Hongkong, 13th April, 1889. TUITION IN FRENCH.

MOLLE. MAILLARD begs to intimate that she will give LESSONS in FRENCH, GRAMMATICAL, CONVER-SATIONAL or LITERARY. Terms on application 3. West Terrace. Hongkong, April 1, 1889.

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONTRIBUTORS.

A PER CENT. upon Contributions for sre prepared to Contract for the SUPPLY of the year 1888 has This Day been declared. Borner and other Transmis, in Logo or the above Office on and after the 1st The Company are also prepared to under-

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.. General Agents. CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED. Hongkong, April 15, 1889.

Business Notices.

HAVE RECEIVED THEIR NEW STOCK OF

SPRING & SUMMER HOSIERY

Gentlemen's Outsitting Goods:

SUN HATS. DOOTS AND SHOES,

UMBRELLAS AND STICKS. HANDKEROHIEFS AND COLLARS, SCARVES, TIES AND CRAVATS

> SPRING SUITINGS. ARRIVE EX GLENARTNEY, RAIN COATS.

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Hongkong, April 16, 1869. Victoria Hotel, Praya and Queen's Road Ventral, Hongkong.

MHIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c , has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Horers in the place. The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East.

The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large DINING HALL. The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIARD and SMOKING ROOMS

The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken.

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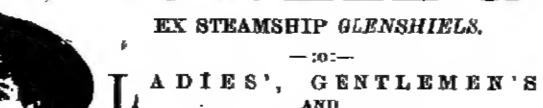
Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

Tailors, Hatters, Shirtmakers and Gentlemen's Outfitters,

TTAVE RECEIVED THEIR DELIVERY WINTER COATINGS, TWEED AND DRESS SUITINGS. TROUSERINGS, AND ULSTER TWEEDS.

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CHILDREN'S W. POWELL & Co.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE, April 11, 1889.

Intimations. THE HONGKONG AGENCY COMPANY,

LIMITED. UBSCRIBED CAPITAL,.....\$2,500,000

PAID-UP CAPITAL, 1,250,000 Board of Directors: HON. J. J. KESWICK, CHAIRMAN. HON. C. P. CHATER, VICE-CHAIRMAN. Mr. E A SOLOMON. Mr J. S. MOSES. Mr. S. C. MICHAELSEN. Ms. G. E. NOBLE. MR. LEE SING.

Mr. POON PONG. Bankers : THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI

BANKING CORPORATION. THE Objects for which this Company are formed are to transact in the Colony of Hongkong and its Dependencies, the Furchases and Sales of Property, to advance monies on Mortgago, to undertake the Management and Agency of Estates, and generally to carry on any Business in connection with Landed Property. The fullest information can be had on

application at the Company's OFFICES, No. 7 Queen's Road Central. ALEXANDER LEVY, Secretary (Pro. tem.)

Victoria Buildings Hongkong, 20th April, 1889. THE PEAK HOTEL AND TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Statutory General MEETING of the above Company will be held at the Ciry HALL, on SATURDAY, the 27th Instant, at 0,30 p m. C. MOONEY.

Secretary (pro tem.)

Hongkong, April 12, 1889. VICTORIA PUBLIC SCHOOL, YOKOHAMA.

THIS SCHOOL, aituated in a very. healthy position on the BLUFF, provides good EDUCATION FOR BOYS from 8to 17. Boarders taken. Prospectus with Office of this Paper.

C. H. HINTON, M.A., Oxon, Head Master. THE CHINA-BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED.

THIS Company having PURCHASED the Mills from the Honoxong First Interim BONUS of TWENTY STRAM SAW MILL Co. (Ltd.), Bowrington, WARRANTS may be had on application at sawn, to any dimensions, at short notice. take GENERAL AGENCY BUSINESS at any of it Branches in Borneo. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Agents in Hongkong.

Hongkong, January 1, 1889,

Intimations.

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY. LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Statu-IN tory General MEETING of the above Ompany will be held at the Company's OFFICES, No. 62, Queen's Road, on WED-NESDAY, the 24th Inst., at 5 o'Clock p.m. C. EWENS.

General Manager. Hongkong, April 9, 1889. THE HONGKONG MASONIC CLUB.

LIMITED. TIME Annual General MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS of the abovenamed Company will be held in the MASONIO CLUB, on WEDNESDAY, the 24th April, at 5.30 p.m.

> By Order of the Board, W. F. HATHERLEY, Secretary.

Hongkong, April 15, 1889. THE STEAM LAUNCH COMPANY.

> LIMITED. NOTICE.

THE THIRD CALL of \$10 per Share, Due on the 2nd Instant, must be Paid at the Overen of the Company, 1 Peddar's Street, with INTEREST of 12 PERCENT, per Aunum from the 3rd Instant, in accordance with Article No. 38 of the Company's Articles of Association. By Order,

A. G. GORDON. Becretary.

Hougkong, April 13, 1889 NOTICE.

MHARLES BORHAM, Steward of the ROYAL NAVAL SEAMAN'S CLUB, is prepared TO GIVE \$50 to any Person who can prove that he has Purchased BEER or LIQUOR from other parties than those whose Bills he presented to the General Committee, or who have seen him conveying such things in his rioksha.

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Hongkong, April 12, 1889.

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Wholesale and Retail Agents for China

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Business Notices.

CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY, LIMITED.

FURNISHING DEPARTMENT.

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1,000 Pairs,

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ART MUSLIN CURTAINS from Paris

TO BALL & BOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE LAD

Hongkong, April 13, 1889.

NOTICE. DURING my Absence Mr. JAMES THE Undersigned his received instruc

Notices of Firms.

MANAGER of CRUICKSHANK & Co., LD. to Sell by Public Auction, on WM. CRUICKSHANK. General Manager. Hongkong, April 16, 1889.

COMPANY, LIMITED. URING the Temporary Absence of Mr. JOHN ANDREW from the Colony Mr. JOHN WILLMOT! has been appointed Acting Secretary to the Company.

J. D. HUMPHREYS, Hongkong, 11th March, 1889. 701

NOTICE.

WE have This Day admitted Mr. REUBEN GUSBAY a PARTNER REUBEN GUSBAY A PARTNER in our Firm. BENJAMIN & DANBY. Hongkong, April 1, 1889.

NOTICE HAVE This Day ESTABLISHED myself as BILL and BULLION BROKER. GUSTAV VON WILLE.

Hongkong, April 17, 1889. Notices to Consignees.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP BAYERN, FROM BREMEN AND PORTS

OF CALL THE above-named Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG AND Kow-LOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LTD., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained. OPTIONAL CARGO will be landed here in

Hongkong unless notice to the contrary be given before 11 a.m. To-DAY, the 18th Instant. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 25th Instant will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they

will be examined on WEDNESDAY, the 1st May, at 4 p.m. All Claims must reach us before the 2nd May, or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

MELOHERS & Co., Hongkong, April 18, 1889.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. S.S. BRECONSHIRE, FROM

MONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Kow-LOON WHARF & GODOWN Co. at Kowloon, whence and/or from the Wharves delivery may be obtained.

HAMBURG, ANTWERP, LONDON,

PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded y less notice to the contrary be given bef 4 p.m. To-DAY. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and al Goods remaining undelivered after the 25th Instant will be subject to rent. All Claims against the Steamer must be

presented to the Undersigned on or before the 25th Instant, or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected Bills of Lading will be countersigned by STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA. ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, April 18, 1889. FROM SOURABAYA, SAMARANG, BATAVIA AND SINGAPORE.

111HK Steamship Goalpara, having arrived from the above Ports, Consigness of Cargo by her and by the Steemship Roma from Madras, are hereby P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hoxe-KONG & KOWLOON WHARI & GODOWN Company, Limiten, at Kowlood, whence delivery may be obtained.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 24th Instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Claims for damages and/or shortages not later than the 80th Instant, otherwise toey will not be recognized. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE MATHESON & Co.,

Hongtong, April 18, 1889,

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. STEPHEN will Act as GENERAL I tions from H.M. NAVAL STOREKEEPER TUESDAY.

748 the 23rd April, 1889, at Noon, at H. M. Naval Yard. AUSTIN ARMS HOTEL & BUILDING SUNDRY NAVAL & VICTUALLING CONDEMNED STORES,

> OLD IRON, PAPER STUFF, HO-ES, LAMPS CLOCKS, CANVAS RAGS, COPPER SHEATHING, PROVISIONS, CLOTHING and IMPLEMENTS. TERMS OF SALE, -As customary.

comprising :--

J. M. ARMSTRONG. Government Auctioneer. Hongkong, April 17 1889.

> To Let. TO LET.

ROUND FLOOR of HOUSE No. 68. QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. Possession from 1st April next.

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Hongkong, March 13, 1889. TO LET. ROOMS in 'COLLEGE CHAMBERS.'

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, December 12, 1888. TO LET.

G. C. ANDERSON.

LAI HING & Co.,

No. 153, Quen's Road Central.

(With Immediate Possession.) 08. 1, 2 & 4, QUEEN'S GARDENS. Apply to

13. Praya Central. Hongkong, March 14, 1889. TO LET. OND FLOOR of HOUSE, No. 64, QUEEN'S

Possession from 1st April next, Apply to LAI HING & Co., No. 153, Quen's Road Central. Hongkong, March 26, 1889.

TO LET. FINO ROOMS in a House on the CAINE ROAD LEVEL, in a highly respectable locality. FURNISHED OF UNFURNISHED."

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L DOUGLAS VILLAS. Possession from 1st May. Apply to DOU. LAS LAPRAIK & Co.

TO LET.

THE DWELLING HOUSE, No. 2,

TO LET. DEAK-'LA HACIENDA,' formerly occupied by Sir George Phillippo. Apply to

Hongkong, March 30, 1889.

H. N. MODY, Victoria Buildings. Hougkong, December 12, 1888. 2096

Steamers. SAKI AND KOBE.

Shipping.

The P. & O. S. N. Co. Steamship will leave for the above places on TUESDAY, 23rd Inst., at Noon. E. L. WOODIN. Superintendent.

(Passing through the INLAND SEA.

THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STRAM NAVIGATION COM-PANY, LIMITED. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL The Co.'s Steamship

Hongkong, April 17, 1889.

Ningchow,
W. Dyndin, Commander,
will be despatched as above on or about the 15th Instant, For Freight, da, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERO & Co.

Houghous, April 12, 1889.

Shipping.

Steamers. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMBUL The Co.'s Steamship Formosa, ... Captain HALL, will be despatched for the above

Ports on SUNDAY, the 21st Instant, at Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to

General Managers.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

Captain Scale, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 22nd luntant. Passengers for EUROPE desiring to proceed OVERLAND, can, on application to the Undersigned, have their Tickets endorsed for surrender at Algiers in exchange for Coupon Tickets to Marseilles (by Transatlantic Company's express boats), and thence to Paris or London. Algiers is 28 hours steam from Marseilles, and thence to Lon-

don occupies about the same time. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

Hougkong, April 18, 1889. FOR SINGAPORE AND PERANG. The Steamship Apenrade.

For Freight or Passage, apply to GEO. R. STEVENS & Co. Hongkong, April 18, 1889. EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN

ADELAIDE. (Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS. LAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND,

FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND

Ports on TUESDAY, the 23rd lustant, at 4 p.m.

Hongkong, April 12, 1889. FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE AND HAMBURG.

The Steamship Capt. G. PETERSEN, WILL be despatched for the

Hongkong, April 15, 1889. OCHAN STRAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI PLA AMOY.

The Co.'s Steamship Captain Riller, will be despatched as above on

Hougkong, April 16, 1889. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

The Co.'s Steamship Commandant Suon, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about THURSDAY, the

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, April 18, 1889. THE GIBB LINE OF STRAMERS. FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

24th Instant.

NEW ZEALAND, &C. The British Steamer Captain Gotzente, will

Managere. Hongkring, April 13, 1889. 710 INDOOHINA STEAM NAVIGATION

> FOR TIENTELY. The Co.'s Steamenin

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHERON & Co.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., Hongkong, April 18, 1889. 741

The Co.'s Steamship

For Freight or Passage, apply to Agents.

Capt. Hohlmann, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 23rd Instant, at

STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

TASMANIA, &c.) The Steamship Catterthun. Captain Darks, will be despatched for the above

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co..

(Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTER-DAM, LONDON, LIVERPOOL

above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 24th 147 Tustant, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.,

> (Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW. CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.)

WEDNESDAY, the 24th Instant For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANÇAIS. FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

(Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS. LAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo for ADELAIDE, TARMANIA.

have quick desprish Fare to SYLINEY OF MELBOURER \$150. For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LOVINGERON A CO.

COMPANY, LIMITED

or short the 27th Instant

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General Managers

Hongkong, April 18, 1889,

Entertainment.

NOTICE.

ROYAL, THEATRE CITY HALL.

TAMAKICHI TROUPE. THIS EVENING,

20th April, 1889, THE CELEBRATED TOKIO AND OSAKA COMBINED ACROBATS. CONSISTING OF EIGHTEEN PERFORMERS,

including TAMAKICHI Miss KOITTO,

THE GREATEST FOOT BALANCER AND ROPE WALKER IN THE WORLD, will give GRAND AND WONDERFUL ACROBATIC FEATS,

many of which have never hitherto hours performed in Hongkong

To commence at PRICES OF ADMISSION Dress Circle front seats.

Back Seats. Tickets for Sale at Mesars CAMIDELL. MOODE & Co. Hongkong, April 20, 1889

Stalls,

Intimations.

NOTICE HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOOK COMPANY, LIMITED.

CHIPMASTERS and ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of the Company's FOREMEN should be at hand, Orders for REPAILS if sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central, will reseive prompt attention.

In the Event of Complaints being found necessary, Communication with the Undersigned is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dis estisfaction.

D. GHALES, Here etary.

Hongkong, August 25, 1885

CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co., Chronometer, Watch & Clack Makers, Jewellers, Gold & Milroremiths.

METEOROLOGICAL INSTRUMENTS. VOIGTLANDER'S CELEBRATED BINOCULARS AND TELESCOPES. RITCHIE'S LIQUID AND OTHER COMPASSES

ADMIRALTY & IMRAY CHARTS. NAUTICAL BOOKS. English SILVER & ELECTRO PLATED WARE. Christofle & Co.'s ELECTRO-PLATED WATER GOLD & SILVER JEWELLEUV

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MODERATE TERMS. MRS. KJELLER.

Proprietress. Hongkong, January 26, 1889. ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION IN

LIQUIDATION. NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PAYMENT OF GTH DIVIDEND.

6TH DIVIDEND of 61 % on all CLAIMS against the HONGKONG Branch of The Oriental Bank Corpora-TION, which have been approved by the Court of Chancery, will be paid at the Offices of the New Oriental Bank Corpora-

TION, LIMITED, on and after MONDAY.

THE 18TH MARCH NEXT. Campitons are requested to apply to the Bank for their Dividends and to produce the letter they hold from the Official Liquidator, admitting their Claims, in order that the Payment of the 6th Dividend may be endorsed thereon.

PAYMENT OF FINAL DIVIDEND IN ADVANCE UNDER DISCOUNT.

THE OFFICIAL LIQUIDATOR by arrangement with THE ASSETS REALISATION Co. is prepared to Pay IN ADVANCE to PURE CREDITORS willing to receive such Payment IN FULL DISCHARGE OF THEIR CLAIMS the Dividend of 5 % payable in the year 1890, UNDER A DISCOUNT OF FIVE TWELFTHS PER CENT. OREDITORS who are willing to accept Pay-

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COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHARRHOLDERS

THE Tenth Orlinary General MEET ING of the above Company will be Formout, for Const Ports. hold at the HESD OFFICE, on FRIDAY, Provincia, for Saigon. the 26th April, 1888, at Half-past Two Kumamoto Maru, for Katchientza o'Clock p.m., for the presentation of the Fictoria, for Nagasaki. Report of the Directors, and Accounts to Monarch, for Shanghai. the 3 at December, 1888, the declaration of Souchow, for Hothow. Dividends, the election of Directors and Benerty, for Sagon, Auditors for the current year, and the

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 17th to the onth Instant, but't days inclusive. By children of the Court of Directors,

ALEX. ROSS. Shanghai, 10th April, 1989

TAUTICAL, SOIENTIFICAND ROCTETE FRANCAISE DES CHAD

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RONNAGES DP TONKIN OTICE is hereby given, that the First MEETING of SHAREGOLDERS will be held at the Company's Office, Hon-

Best day of May, at Newn BUSINESS To receive the Report on the State of the Mines and to fill Vacancies on the Board

gay (Posquip), on FRIDAY, the Thirty

of the Directors The OWNERS of at least Twenty Shares to bearer, in order to have the right of or with the CHIEF MANAGER of the Hong kong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, not later than Fifteen Days before the Meeting and there shall be delivered to them a Card of admission to the Meeting. By Order of the Board of Directors

ALEXANDER LEVY. Secretary.

20th April, 1889.

Not Responsible for Debts.

A Teither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Hirbour :-

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F. Rowell. - Russell & Co. HATTIE E. TAPLEY, British barque, Capt. . McConnachy-Gibb, Livingston & Co. KALAKAWA, Hawiian barque, Capt. John Duncan. - Jardine, Matheson & Co.

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SHIPPING. ARRIVALS.

April 19, 1889 :-Verona, British steamer, 1,876, Speck, Yokohama via Kobe, and Nagasaki, Mails and General. P. & O. S. N. Co. Yangtsze, German ateamer, 814, C. N. Tonningson, Shanghai April 16, General. -Siemesen & Co. Namoa, British str., 869, F. D. Goddard,

Fouchow April 16, Amoy 17, and Swatow To-day's Advertisements. | Fouchow April 16, Amoy 17, and Swa Kwang Let, Chinese steamer, from Wham-

THE CHINA & MANILA STRAMSHIP Villars, French cruiker, Commander Mayet, Manila April 16. Moray, British steamer, 1,411, W. S. Duncan, Kobe April 13, Coal. - ADAMSON, BELL & Co. Monarch, British steamer, 1,521, Thomp-

son, New York February 20, General.-Constance, British corvette, 2,380, Capt. Keppel, Shanghai April 14. April 20 :-

Kumamoto Maru, Japanese str., 1,240, R. Pender, Kutchinotzu April 15, Coal. -MITAU BISHI Zafiro, British steamer, 575, A. A. Mc-Caslin, Amoy and Manila April 19, General.

Chi-yuen, Chinese str., 1,211, C. R. Null, Shanghai April 15, and Swatow 19, General. -C. M. S. N. Co. Lydia. German steamer, 1,198, G. Petersen, Kobe April 14, General.-Siemssen &

Great Admiral, American ship, 1,497 ames F. Rowell, San Francisco March 1. Flour. - RUSSELL & Co. Berdedi, British steamer, 1,455, John H. Clark Saigon April 16, General.-Gree,

DEPARTURES. April 19 :-General Werder, for Yokohuma. Bayern, or Shanghai. Merlin, British gunboat, for Shanghai Heilanny, for Coast Ports Amgan, for Nagasaki,

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Orestes, for Amoy and Shanshai CLEARED Zafiro, for Manila Antoinette, or New York Godpara, for Amoy

Kirming Lee, for Shanghai.

transaction of any other business which PASSE may be transacted at an Ordinary Coneral ARRIVED

Per Yangteze, from Shanghai, 16 Chinese, Por Names, from Coast Ports, Mr and Mrs King and child, Dr. and Mrs MacLeish and 4 children, Mrs Ede, Rev. Mr Sadler, Mossra Malampo and A. Hock, and His Excellency Tao Tai Teck and 2 sons, 2 Paroponne, and 107 Chinese. For Leona, for Hongkong: from Yokohaum, Mr Forrest's native servant, and 2

Chinese; from Kobe, Mr W. A. Burr; from Nagasaki, Misa Takuhushi, Mr R. Osborne, 2 Chinese, and I Japanese. For Singapore. from Kobe, Mr G. Barlow and native servant. For London : from Yokohama, Mr. M. V. Webber; from Kobe, Mr J. P. Bell, Por Zafin, from Amoy, 20 Chinese. Per Chippen, from Shanghai, 35 Chinese. For Readeli, from Saigon, 20 Chinese.

DEPARTED Per Bayers, for Shanghai: from Hongkong, Messra F. Bornemann, J. C. Harmon. A. B. Skoels, W. C. Murray, Soomarbhoy, Maujee, Mr and Miss Matheson; from Europe Mesers J. Fred. Rodewald, August Ehlers, Justus Ehlers, Adolf Achelis, Jos. and James Stones. Duncan Clerck, Matattending the above Meeting, shall deposit | thew Anderson, A. Miller, W. A. Kopp and their Shares either with the Undersigned, family, Mr Beretta, Mrs A. Schmidt. Mr and Mr. G B. A. Castro, Messrs Speahistoff and Platonoff.

Per General Werder, from Hongkong : for Yokohama, Mr and Mrs L Poesnecker and child, Mrs J. Kramer, Mr H. Cassomally, Mr Chan Tack Fong and 16 Chinese; for Hiogy, Mr C. Nagyyama and I Chinese. From Europe : for Hiogo, Mrs Faber and child, Miss A. Ziegfeld, Mr W. Pearson Stutchburg, Mrs G. J. H. Schuct, and Col. Greenfield; for Yokohama, Messrs Gustav Aspe. Carl Kayser, H. Mori, Baron Frank

Mr and Mrs Engelhardt Per Johann, for Holhow, 100 Chinese. Per Hullwing, for Swatow, Mr Lants for Amoy, Mr Boyd, Dr. de Groot, and Baron von Fries ; for Foodhow, Messra Gibb and Wilkimson.

SHIPPING REPORTS The American ship Great Admiral reports: Stiff trade wind to Ladrous Islands; thence light trade through Ballintang Channel vesterday fresh N. W. wind. Generally fine weather throughout the passage.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-

For NAGASAKI. -Per Victoria, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the For HOIHOW & PAKHOL-

Per Southow, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 21st inst. For AMOY .-Per Gualpara, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 21st met.

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Per Poicos, at 9 a.m., on Monday, the 22nd inst. For MACAO. the 22nd inst. For MANILA.

Per Zofire, at 9 a.m., on Monday, the 22nd inst. For SAIGON .-Per Provincia, at 9 a.m., on Monday, the 22nd inst. For HAIPHONG .-

the 22nd inst. The Post and Stamp Offices will be closed on Easter Monday. There will be no Peak delivery. The night Box will be kept open.

Per Verwaerts, at 9 a.m., on Monday,

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MEMOS. FOR TU-MORROY:

Shipping. Daylight .- Formosa leaves for S'tow, &c.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES:-ST. John's Cathedral,-Parade Service at 8.30 A.M. Matins at 11. Holy Communion at the 11 o'clock service on the 1st, 3rd, and 5th (if any) Sundays in the month. Evensong at 5.45. PRAK CHURCH. - Holy Communion

His Excellency goes into an elaborate argu- Praya Reclamation Bill was approved of by the 2nd Sunday in each mouth at 8 A.M. UNION CHURCH. -- Minister Rev. G. H Bondfield.—Services at 11 A.M. and 7.30 GERMAN BETHESDA CHAFEL. -Sorvice in very common with opponents of reforms,

the German language, by Rev. F. Hartmann, every Sunday, at half-past ten A.M., in the Chapel of the Berlin Foundling House, West Point. ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH, Garden Road .-9 A.M. Mass and Sermon. 5.30 P.M. Even-

ing Service, Benediction. ST. PETER'S SEAMEN'S CRURCH, Sailors' Home. -- Service on Sunday, at 11 A.M. and 6 P.M. Thursday, at 6 P.M. The Holy Communion is administered on the Second Sunday in the month at 7.30 A.M.; on the First and Third Sundays, at moon; on the Fourth Sunday, at Evening Service. Services are conducted by the Rev. J. A. Turner, in the WESLEYAN MISSION ROOMS, 127 Queen's Road East, on Sundays at 9.45

A.M. and 6 P.M. MEMOS. FOR MONDAY. Shipping. 4 p.m. - Zafiro leaves for Manila.

Meeting. 10 a.m.--Prize Meeting of H.K. Rifle Association. Miscellaneous.

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Local Banks close.

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General Memoranda. TCESDAY, April 23 :-Noon.-Auction of Sundries at H. M. Naval Yard. Noon. - Extraordinary Meeting of H.K.

at No. 7, Queen's Road Contral.

WEDNESDAY, April 24: 5 p.m. - Meeting of Green Island Comont Co., Ld., at No. 62, Queen's Road. 5.30 p.m .- Meeting of Shareholders of the H.K. Masonic Club, Ltd., at the Masonic Hall.

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METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER. AT 4 PAI TO-BAY. Barometer Temperature Damp Bulb

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April 4th, 1889.

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Che Chung Ling. HONGKONG, SATURDAY, APRIL 20, 1889. THE speech which the Governor delivered at last meeting of Council on the question of Sunday labour in Hongkong harbour had evidently been carefully prepared, for Per Kinkening, at 9 a.m., on Monday, it reads more like an essay than an extem-

pore speech. His Excellency deserves cre. by the stopping of work on board merchant dit for having thought out the subject and for having made enquiries with regard to the circumstances, as they have had to the practice in various countries. We can adapt themselves to many other European not help thinking, however, that with this, customs which we refuse to abandon for the as with many other questions, he went to sake of their convenience. We think it work with a strong bias towards certain | could be shown that the loss to shippers conclusions, and that the opinions which and merchants in Hongkong would be inconfirmed this bias found more ready ac significant; and we fail to see why they work in the harbour are educed, and an outsider might be justified in carrying away have not suffered thereby. the impression that the numerous petitioners had not put forward one single valid argument in favour of their on board merchant vessels in the contention. But with all his elaborate special pleading, His Excellency, page of work on shore, the whole of the we think, entirely fails to prove his case. Governor's tirade about the evil conse-If he proves anything, he proves a totally | quences of a general cessation of work is different case. He begins by stating that worthless verbiage. He samply created a in other countries cessition of shipping bogey for the purpose of showing the

work is effected by the closing of the colony how easily he could destroy his

custom houses, and that as, fortunately, own creation. The performance may be

we have no custom house in Hongkong, an interesting one, but it has no bearing on

stoppege of work could only be attained by the question under discussion,

had to be abruptly stopped and the conworking compromises, adapted to everchanging conditions. The rigorous ap- sideration of the subject adjourned for plication of established principles is an another week: By that time a fourth ediimpossibility in an imperfect state of existion will doubtless be ready, and if no new tence, and we work along amid innumerdiscovery bursts on the Governor, it may able inconsistencies, leaving Time to grad- have a chance of passing. We would fain ually round off the corners. hope, however, that ere next Friday His In this very matter of Sunday labour our Excellency may obtain some fresh enpractice already is very inconsistent. We lightenment, and that he will announce close Chinese theatres and yet allow gam to Council that the Bill is in such of all sorts to be carried on at the Chineso hopeless muddle that it must be en-Recreation Ground and elsewhere. The tirely recast. We do not propose to natives complain of no grievance enter to-day into any lengthy criticism account of this regulation. They seem of edition No. 3, as we were able to obtain recognise that in such a Colony as this, only one half of the edition, the remaining where two peoples of totally different half being withheld because it is not yet in customs and manners live together, there accordance with the Governor's latest ideas. must be a give and take. We telerate Chi-We would simply point out that the secnese customs as far as they do not interfere tion holders are by no means content with with the freedom of European residents, and we enforce regulations, based on our standard of civilisation, only in so far as they of large sections which have not a Praya are necessary for the health and welfare of the general community and do not too rudely interfere with the deepest-rooted customs of the people. So it ought to be with regard to this Sunday question; but His in front of the Prays. His Excellency Excellency wishes us to adopt a different principle whereby the European standard of life must be totally subservient to the Chinese. He says we must not stop labour on board vessuls in the harbour, because a few Chinese would suffer and because, in order to be consistent, we must then make a law against all Sunday labour whatever out of doors. As to consistency, he Because we rewell say quire that houses in a certain quarter of the town shall not be inhabited extent of more than one inhabitant to 1000 square feet, we must make the same law for the whole town. It is simple nonsense to say that, as the probibition of work on board Europeanmanned vessels would prevent a small number of Chinese from working on Sunday | begin when an attempt was made to work there would be destroyed among the Chinese that reputation for justice in British law which has done so much to create the population and prosperity of Hongkong. Even in the ports of Heathen China, by the closing of the Custom-house, labour, Chinese and European, is stopped board foreign vessels, while the wor proceeds on board junks on Sunday as on Saturday. Here we have a case foreigners practically imp sing a law China itself-forcing a Heathen Power to recognise the customs of a few Christians in its employ and compelling its subjects to regulate their work in accordance. And to receive adequate compensation for in British Hongkong it is impossible, according to His Excellency's opinion, to obtain the same concession without creating a violent change in the social conditions of the Colony. The contention is preposterous. A law could easily be framed setting up, as far as Sunday labour is concerned, an artificial Custom House, that is to say putting all merchant vessels, steamers and sailers, in the same position us they are in at the Treaty ports. There would be no hardship in excepting junks from this be seen that the detailed plan which alone law. The junk men have their own holidays, about as many in the year as there are Sundays; and, besides, junks and steamers enter now very little into competition. Very few junks now compete in the trade between Hongkong and the Treaty ports. They confine their operations to the local trade with small ports to which steamers cannot go. The few Chinese who would be affected

a prohibiting law. So far his inference is | WE have read and re-read His Excellency's

correct. There is little chance of the offi- last speech on the Prays Reclamation Bill

cors of merchant vessels and the clerks in without being able to discover what he

merchant offices uniting together so as to exactly means. This much, however, is

compel ship-owners and shipping firms to clear that the Governor is discovering every

give them rest on Sundays, although this other day new facts about the conditions of

would be by far the best way of settling the land tenure in the Colony, and he must

question. A law therefore is required, and have now come to the conclusion that this

ment to show that the scope of this law him in a state of blissful ignorance of the

must be of the very widest character possi- actual position of affairs. As every fresh

ble. Adopting a mode of attack, which is bit of information reaches him, some

he tries to prove, not that a moderate law original shape of this precious ordinance is

moderately applied, would be dangerous, now no longer recognisable. This mea-

might be employed against a great many of discovered at last meeting that this third

but that the principle of Sunday rest car-

ried to its extreme consequences and

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the laws on the Statute book. Many of

our laws and regulations are at the best but

enforced by a violent law would

amondment is made in the Bill, until the

sure, which is distinguished from all other

measures in having received the sauc-

tion of the Secretary of State before

already reached a third edition; and it was

edition was so hopelessly out of order that

the passage of the Bill through committee

was introduced into the Council, has

the definition, 'or sections thereof fronting the Praya Roadway,' and that the owners frontage but are nevertheless part of marine lotswillfight tooth and nail against the whole of the reclamation being given to the man who may have the narrow strip directly might do well also to study how far any provise he may make, about the new leases not putting the marine lot-owners in a better position with regard to the new foreshore than they are in with regard to the old, harmonises with the part of the Bill which allows \$104,000 as compensation for rights to the foreshore which he says certain lawyers declars the marine lot-owners never possessed. The Bill appears to recognise the rights of certain marine lotowners to the foreshore to the fullest extent that it is possible to claim, while it declares that the rights of others who merely claim access to the sea as an essement are to be absolutely extinguished and determined. We have often said that the real trouble in connection with this Prays reclamation would out the details, and the course of events is showing that our prevision was a correct one. The Governor avoko one morning to discover that certain frontage let-owners of dissentient lot-owners to access to School. the sea—or to full compensation for disturbance-nor the right of holdmay not actually front the Praya to participate in the profits of the reclamation or depreciation in the value of their lot. In many instances these inlandmarine lots are about as much dependent for their value on the access to the sea as the lots which actually front the Praya. They are let in many instances to shipchandlers, whose business is directly affected by the proximity to the foreshore. There can be no doubt also that they have all along been considered as marine lots, and have paid crown rent as such. It will thus will show how lot-holders and section-holders will be treated is as all-essential part of the Bill, and that to pass the Ordinance without this being completed is equivalent to passing the form of a Bill rendering punishable certain offences and leaving the offences to be filled in afterwards. TELEGRAMS. [SUPPLIED TO THE 'CHINA MAIL.] vessels would simply adapt themselves to (Via Southern Line.) THE BUDGET. LONDON, 16th April, 1889.

rest, and her industries and commerce plate. FRANCE. It being by no means necessary London, 18th April, 1889. that the stoppage of Sunday labour Numerous domiciliary visits are being made lu Paris and in the Provinces. harbour should involve the universal stop-NETHERLANDS. The King is improving. EGYPT. Senoussi has defeated the Mahdi who has fallen back on Khartoum.

POLITICAL.

LOCAL AND GENERAL. PASSED SUEZ CANAL DUWARD BOUND :- Badsworth. February 19; Spindrift, 21; Wakefield, March 5 Nantes, 8: Iner, 15; Monarch, 19 Euphrales, 26; Anchues, Kirklands, April 2; Agamemnon, Denbighehire, Glenogle, Duke of Buckingham, Cambo dia, Cassandra b : Oopack, Port Fairy, Sarpedon, 9; Glenfruin, Deconshire, 12. on EWARD BOUND:-Hesperia, Westmeath, Mar. 12 : Riveridale, 15 : Strathleven. 22; Achilles, Amphitrite, April 2; Menelaus, 5; Suchsen, Carmarthenshire, Inhigenia, 9; Antenor; Djemnah, 12.

The Natal, with the FRENCH MAIL of 23rd March, left Singapore on Wednesday. the 17th instant, at 8 a.m., and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, the 23rd instant. This Packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkoug on Feb. 13. The P. M. Co.'s steamer City of Peking,

with the AMERICAN MAIL of March 28th, left Yokolams on Thursday, the 18th instant, at daylight, and may be expected here on or about Wednesday, the 24th inst. l'he Canadian Pacific Co.'s s. s. Batavia from Vancouver, &c., left Shanghai for Hongkong on the 17th instant, at 11

a.m., and may be expected here on or about the 19th inst. The Canadian Pacific S. Co.'s str. Purthia left Vancouver for Japan, &c., on the

16th instant. The D. D. R. steamer Bellona, from Hamburg, left Singapore on the 14th inst., and may be expected here on or about

The Glou Line steamship Glenariney, from London, left Singapore on the 15th inst., and may be expected here on or about the 21st inst. he steamship Arratoon Apear left Singapore on the 15th instant, and may be

expected here on or about the 21st The P. & O. s. s. Gipalior, from Bombay, left Singapore for this port on the 15th inst., and may be expected here on or about the 22nd inst.

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamship Ajax, from Liverpool, left Singapore on the 16th inst, and may be expected here on or about the 22nd inst. The s. s. Port Jackson, from London, left Singapore on the 16th inst., and may

be expected here on the 23rd inst. ORDER OF CHORAL SERVICE AT ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL .- EASTER BUNDAY. Matins :- Processional, No. 131; Tallis' Festival Responses: Eastern Anthem. Humphreys; Proper Pealms, Cooke & Rimbault; Te Deum and Jubilate. Calkin in D : Athanasian Creed, Gregorian; Anthem, 'God hath appointed a day' (Tours) ; Kyrie, Schubert ; Nicens Creed, Marbeck; Hymn, 134; Choral Celebration Service. Stainer in

per Psalms, Battishill, Goodson, &c. Magnificat & Nunc Dimittis, Sangster in E : Anthom, They have taken away my Lord' (Stainer); Hymns, 136 and 135; Voluntary, The Heavens are telling, Haydo. THE British corvette Constance, Captain

Evensong :- Processional, No. 133; Pro-

Keppel, arrived here yesterday on her way THE French cruiser Villars, which has replaced the Primauguet on this station, ar

rived yesterday from Manila. THE Japanese acrobats have been drawing fairly large houses at the City Hall. Their performances are eminently sensational and

clever. The last will be given to-night. MESSRS R. Hazeden, B.A.; W. C. Barlow, were enjoying rents from wharves in front M.A.; and J. J. Booth, B.A., on whom of the present Praya; and he may awake the title of 'Reverend' was inadvertently some other morning to find that his little conferred in our list of arrivals on Wednes-Bill has not extinguished the right day, are three new masters for the Central

DIVINE SERVICE FOR SEAMER, -On Sanday ers of sections of marine lots that morning, between 9 and 10.30 o'clock, the steam launch carrying the Bothel flag will call alongside any vessel hoisting code pennant C., to convey men ashore to 11 a. m. service at St. Peter's Seamen's Church, returning about 12.30.

> MONDAY being Easter Monday, which is almost a close holiday in Hongkong, there will be no issue of the China Mail. An 'Extra' will be issued about 1 o'clock containing all the shipping news and any important telegrams that may be received up to that hour.

A BOATMAN, who was found in possession

of 100 taels of prepared opium without a

certificate yesterday, was convicted by Mr Wodehouse to-day, and sentenced to pay a fine of \$500, with the alternative of three months' hard labour. The man went to gool, and the opium was forfeited. OHUN Chong, a rice-pounder who was lately dismissed from the service of a shopkeeper

named Heung tuk, was sent to gaol for three

months by Mr. Wedehouse to-day, for in-

timidating several of his former employer's

workmen with the object of making them

stop work. The budget Surplus for the past year A BOY of fourteen, named Tung Kwin amounts to £2,790,000, but this has been | Chang, who was sent to the Government swallowed up by the surrender of local Civil Hospital by the police this morning. captance than those contrary. This may should be allowed to exact seven days' work | taxation. The increased Naval outlay will has been found to be suffering from hynot have been the case, but the speech was from their employes any more than the cause a deficit for the ensuing year of drophobia. He was found in Hospital one which only a strong partisan would merchants in London or Liverpool. Their £1,900,000. The Chancellor of the Ex Road, and from his strange appearance have made. There is no attempt at setting | business would not go to ruin by the observ- chequer proposes an increase in the death | and behaviour the police supposed he was forth bo h sides of this difficult question. | ance of one day's rest in seven. England | duties, an increase in the duty on Beer of | under the influence of a drug. On being All the arguments, imaginary or real, that has been distinguished among the nations of Lth of a penny per gallon, and states that taken to the Station he gave his name and can be brought against stopping Sunday Europe for her observance of the day of he is unable to abolish the duty on silver age as above in reply to the queries of the inspector in charge, and said he had come from Canton. During the time he was the charge-room he kept moving restlessly about, his limbs continually twitching, and his tongue thrust out, Twice he snapped like a dog at a constable who was beside him. He was at once sent to the hospital, and Dr Atkinson on examination found him to be suffering from hydrophobia and sent for a Chinese constable to watch him. We understand that there is no mark of a dog-bits about the boy, and he made no complaint An Unionist has been elepted for Birto the police of having been bitten. The

boy died this afternoon,

A Young scamp, named Chu Atak, who enatched a pair of earrings from a Chinawoman to-day, near the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, soverely lacerating her cars at the same time, was brought before Mr Wodehouse in the Police Court and sentenced to six months' hard labour and two whippings.

THE North Borneo Herald Bays :- From Sandakan the Memion carried a large cargo of Timber consigned by the China Borneo to purchase large quantities of English Company to their agents in the Flowery Land. Next month we trust she may take some Tobacco from here.

Wz understand that the former residence of Measrs. Geo. Oliver & Co., Foodhow. has passed into the hands of the American Methodist Mission for the modest sum of top thousand dollars. It is the purpose of the Mission to run a girl's school in these commodious premises. - Foochow Echo.

JELEBUS are allotted, says the Straits Times. The principle of allotment has been to give to each applicant about one-third of his application, so that the average applicant, after being credited with payment in full of his stock, will have money to get back. The letters of allotment will be sent out in a few days.

His Majesty the Emperor of China has conferred presents upon his relatives and upon all high officials up to the second grade inclusive; taxes for his year have been remitted all over the Empire; to all parmermen an additional month's rations are allowed; at the civil and military examinations a large number of successful candidates will be admitted; presents are also to be conferred upon all Manchu women of the age of 70 and over 70; and all petty offenders throughout Chins pardoned.

THE N. C. Daily News says :- A few days age a sailor belonging to the Constance was the means of saving the lives of three Russian sailors. These men were going off to their ship in a sumpan which they mans ad to upset. The Constance sailor was on l wav ashore, and seeing the accident out of the unturned boat. He then proceeded on his ertand as if nothing had

In consequence of losses incurred by the Constable Warnock, of the Hongkong Native tea hongs of this port, says the Foothour Echo, we are informed that they intend to curtail their business: consequently, in comparison with the preceding year, not so much money has been sent up country. It is said that in making advances to the up-country tea-men, every precaution has been taken by the several Tea hongs, and in such a way that none but first-class tea men got advances. So far, so good, but we fear that the matter will end here. and that in spite of notices and exhortations the same rubbishy article will be brought to market as in former years.

Hens is a growl from Nagasaki. Says the Nagasaka Express of Wednesday, 10th inst.; -The C. P. e. s. Abyminia arrived from Hongkong at 4 p.m. on Monday, with few late letters on board! The P. & O. s. s. Teheran, which left Hongkong two hours ahead of the Abussinia, with a full local mail on board, had not arrived up to noon yesterday !! The community of Nagasaki certainly ought to subscribe for the purchase of two leather medals,-one for the enterprising individual who put the mail on board a 84-knot boat, when an 11knot one was leaving two hours later; and another for whoever is responsible for the P. & O. 8½-knot steaming regulation They are both equally deserving of some distinction being conferred upon them.

RESULTS OF THE BAILWAY ACCIDENT. -Since the recent railway accident near Sinho, the D. Wood, Mrs F. W. Cross Directors of the China Railway Company | K. McK. Ross, Mrs Loxley have done their utmost to settle matters to F. H. Sheph rd, Miss Shepherd the satisfaction of all concerned. Those E. B. Shepherd. Mrs B. Shepherd who were killed were respectably interred | Major Dempster, Mrs Dempster . . . at the expense of the Company, besides which their relatives received ample com- pensation. More stringent instructions have been enjoined upon all the employees of the Company, foreigners as well as natives, and no one will be allowed to infringe | W. G. Warnock, P.C. them as much as a hair-breadth, the re- | Chas. Ford cent disaster having served as a lesson for G. Byrne, R.M. L.I. more cautious conduct hereafter. It has G, P. Lammert . . also been decided to at once begin the con- H. J. Holmes struction of a telegraph line in connection | Gen. Gordon with the railway in order to maintain abso- Lieut. Martin, R.N. hear that at the various railway stations | F. G. Collins ? are just as eager to avail themselves of the W. Robertson, P.C. means of rapid transit as before the accid- A. G. Vincent 👻 . . . ent. Nor has freight diminished in the H. F. Hayllar slightest.—Shih Pao.

STREET CLEANSING APPARATUS.-We take F. H. Shepherd the following paragraph from a London D. Wood contemporary:—There is a hope for a more | J. M. Forbes rational system of street cleansing being C. V. Ladds introduced than is in vogue at present. W. Jackson This hope comes from a street-cleansing apparatus which we saw tried on Monday last on Holborn Viaduct, and which is be- R. F. Drury ing introduced by Mr A. Lewis, of 46, G. T Hopkins Chancery Lane, London. This apparatus K. McK. Ross consists of a series of horizontal brushes fixed on a pair of endless chains revolving around spindles. These brushes sweep the mud up a short incline into a receiver which is continued upwards to a height of | tive and Legislative Councils of Hongkong. S feet as a thin iron casing. Inside this casing is a series of iron buckets fixed on endkas chains and revolving around top prizes. and bottom shafts in a similar manner to Hop. J. J. Keswick the brushes. These buckets dip into the Major-General Edwards receiver and lift the mud to a delivery Col. Storer shoot, dredger fashion, whence it is de- Hon, H. E. Wodehouse livered into a mud cart to the tail of Col, Craster . . . which it is connected in such a way as to be easily put on and taken off. The anparatus is mounted on an iron carriage on three wheels, and the sweeping and elevating mechanism is driven by gearing from the travelling wheels. At the trial on Monday mud was placed on the roadway, and the machine on its first run did very well indeed. It did not do quite so well on the second run, but it must be remembered that the conditions were not those of a naturally dirty road. The mud had been previously acraped up into the usual roadside deposit, carted away and re-distributed on the Visduct roadway, during which processes it must have parted with thick sindge. Against this we may mention additional instruction should be given in that we have seen the apparatus at work on a very dirty macademised road on a dirty day, when it did its work with the greatest the wayside and the splashing of the public when the sludge is being shovelled into the part. Then there is no stopping and starting for that purpose, as the cart is drawn steadily on its way and when full it is stapped, the apparatus removed, and the Spanish and Italian he would not at present cart goes on its way to the discharging point. include in the regular course, but would The apparatus is at once attached to another form classes for the study of those lancart which takes up the work of its pre- guages out of school hours. The recomcleaning has been completed.

Accomping to the St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily News the Russian coal crisis has during this winter assumed unexpected proportions. Never before has the want of cheap fuel been felt more keenly. The price of coal is higher than ever before, though the large Russian coal mines are not able to work with a profit. because the Russians do not understand mining. The nowspapers mention as a striking illustration of this unlucky state of affairs that the Kursk-Azov Railway. which passes through Russia's richer coul districts, has this winter been obliged coals. It is said in industrial circles that the price of English coal will probably rise considerably in the near future. This might give a death-blow to some Russian industries.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

SEVENTIL PRIZE MEETING. The seventh prize meeting under the auspices of the Hongkong Rifle Association, which lasts for three days, opened vesterday. The weather so far has been excellent, but a variable wind blowing occasionally with considerable force across the range made good shooting difficult. The marksmanship has therefore not been up to the average standard. At 200 yards there have been three 34s made. At the 900 yards the leading score is 33, two short of the 'possible, There was a large number of visitors at the ranges this afternoon, When the 'Councils,' the 'Ladies,' and the 'Ladies' Purse competitions were completed, smong those present being H.E. the Governor and Lady Des Yosux. The Band and Pipers of the A. and S. Highlanders performed during the afternoon. The winner of the 'Councils', is the Hon. J. J. Keswick, who only qualified to enter the lists two days ago when he took his seat as a member of the Legislative Council; Major-General Edwards, who may be called the next youngest memjumped into the water and got the sailors | ber of the 'Councils' circle, being second. The first prize in the Ladies' competition was won for Mrs Shelton Hooper by Lieut. Carlyle, and the Ladies' Purse was won by Police. The prizes for these competitions were given away by Lady Des Youx at the close of the shooting. The following are the results of the events concluded

LADIES COMPETITION. Open to Lady members or their nominees No. of shots-7. No entrance fee. Sever prizes. Position—sitting or kneeling. Lieut. Carlyle, nominated by Mrs Shel-. . . 29 ton Hooper Mr Ford, nominated by Mrs Ford . . 27

W. Robertson, P. C. nominated by Mrs. Gordon S. L. Woodin, nominated by Mrs J. Capt. Collinson, nominated by Mrs G.

Major Verner Chater, nominated by G. Lammert, nominated by Mrs Lam-R. G. Hopkins, pointnated by Miss.

H. J. Holmes nominated by Mrs.

. Woolley, nominated by Miss Crown 18 H. F. Hayllar, Miss Sexton J. M. Forbes, Mrs Forbes Lieut, Martin, Mrs E. Robinson G. C. Anderson, Miss Anderson W. Legge, Mrs W. D. Broadwood A. Shelton Hooper, Mrs R. H. Kim-

LADIES' PUESE. Presented by the ladies of Hongkong. Distance 300 yards. Seven shots.

W. D. Braidwood F. W. Cruss Col.-Sergt. Delaney A. Shelton Hooper Sergt. D. McDonald

COUNCILS COMPETITION. Past and present members of the Execu-Distance 200 yards, seven shots. Two

THE City of London is seriously consider. ing the advisability of dropping, to a great extent, the study of Latin in the public schools, and substituting more of modern languages, beginning with French and including German in the regular course, with extra classes in Spanish and Italian The matter was referred to the Committee of Managers of the City of London School for investigation some time ago, and that committee has adopted for its report the recommendations of Rev. Dr. Abbott, the head master. He suggested that the study of Latin should be dropped in two out of the some of its moisture. It was, in fact, very three forms in the middle school, and that French, English history and geography. Latin should be taught only in the Senior class in the middle school. He also resuccess. The apparatus promises well for commends that German should be made a doing away with unsightly heaps of mud by regular and compulsory study-it being optional at present—after a fair degree of efficiency had been obtained in French. Ability to teach German, he suggests, must be added to the requirement of those who seek pl ces us teachers in the school. decesor, and so on until the work of street | mendations of the committee are favorably spoken of by most of the Loridon papers.

FRAGRANT WATERS' MURMUR That Governor Des Vœux is earning for himself a reputation for adjourning meetings of the Legislative Council to a more convenient day, but whose convenience is considered appears to remain an open question.

That His Exceller cy has already had some skirmishing with unofficial members as to the relative importance of business or of meetings of public companies, and of getherings in the Council Chamber, in which Sir William Des Vœux has given precadence to the deliberations of Council. That as the time of officers of the Government should be and is at the 'disposal of the public, and the unofficial members

are mostly leading commercial men whose time is frequently given at great cost to themselves, the public will continue to believe that the convenience of unofficial members should invariably take first

That the auccessor to the Hon. J. Bell-Irving (Mr J. J. Keswick) was very prompt in taking the oath and his seat at the Council table.

That his legislative career will be watched with interest by all well-wishers of this Colony.

That it is somewhat remarkable Good Friday should this week have been saved from desceration by a timely note of warning from the Senior Unofficial

That this is all the more creditable to the S. U. M., as the colobration is little known in the Western Islands, and the knowledge probably came to him, like an acquired taste, somewhat late in life. That proselytes are ever the most zealous.

That a pleasing feature in this week's history is that it records the fact that a worthy citizen left the Colony who was fortunate enough to slude the present testimonial-address craze. That though out a pretty long spell in

China, Mr John Bell-Irving has constantly proved himself to be a good man all round.

That it is 'in the fitness of things' that his reputation should remain unhespatiered with the well meaning but stereotyped and hackneved phresoelogy of a public

That Queen's Road is being capped with concrete--a very effective mode of bury ing out of eight all past blunders.

That its durability is more than questionable, and the future alone will disclose to the patrons of rickshaws who are the greater sufferers, the unfortunate drawer or the still more unfortunate drawee.

That 'impunity always invites to greater crimes, and will probably continue to do

That H. E. the Governor has surrounded himself with a much denser cloud of difficulties concerning the question of Sundsy labour than any advocate of the investment ever dreamt of.

That the big 'village' of London ceases work with one consent on Sundays, and it can hardly be said that this is entirely due to the Custom House.

That London and its trade cannot be comthrough goods system, notwithstanding mstropolis of the world a second place to

the commercial Pearl of the Orient, That, as a general rule, Europeans cease to labour on Sunday, both on shore and afout, save and except when they cannot help themselves, and all that is needed is to help these same Europeans to secure their day of rest.

That the Chinese do not desire, and certainly can never be forced to stop their work on Sunday, although I believe the Chinese race can take their pleasures as quietly and harmlessly as any people in this round globe.

That the European vessels in Harbour are the only craft sought to be interfered with, and if I am not misinformed they are the only vessels affected in the Treaty Maritime Custom-Houses.

Governor's picture painted so powerfully, of lost money, of an unruly mass of idle | was also of a satisfactory character. natives, and of possible aids to theft by carigature,

privileges of a free British port are too Goosmann Treasurer. well known and too highly appreciated sail into the Customs boundaries.

readily pay a moderate sum for a special of the choir. the terrible possiblities he has raised.

patched up.

somehow the thing will not get itself

how not to govern.

Cameron in person for the presence of to justify its existence must do something

without injuring her.

to be sufficiently dangerous without en; about them. He had had experiences trusting him with the unbridled control within the last few weeks which had reof deadly projectiles.

That it is passing strange so young a coun-self and that would be taken into all

most improved form.

Borneo be secured. German East African Coast.

but without undue elation,-for a tendance had exceeded the highest er. glorious future may yet await her, thus pectations, and he hoped to see soon as aided by these tentative Colonists.

THE PUNJOM AND SUNGHIE DUA SAMANTAN MINING COMPANY LIMITED.

An extraordinary meeting of this company was held this afternoon. Mr W. G. Brodie presided, and there were also present :- Mr T. E. Davios, director, Messra E. Georg, J. S. Perry, W. Legge, S. A. Joseph, C. Mooney, E. L. Reuter, J. C. da Cunha, F. J. Barros, C. A. Ozorio, A. F. J Soares, H. G. James, W. Judd, P. B. Cama, J. C. dos Remedios and J. M. G. Manuk, and Mr A. O'D. Gourdin, secretary.

Chairman proposed that it be confirmed.

unanimously carried. The Chairman - This is the business of she refused to give him the \$50 he domandthe meeting, and I thank you for your at- ed. He thou pointed a six-chambered re-

Mr Becher is likely to go Home. in three or four weeks.

Mr oseph—That is the latest?

arrangement and to announce when he is ing her arm, and she fell or jumped out delay his going for a moment. A commit- have been attempting to follow her when tee in London has been formed to act with | Teao Ah-bong fired a third shot which struck if there is anything to be before he gets there it will be done, but shot which struck the little girl in the chest doubtless they will wait his arriva'.

Mr Joseph-You say there is a committee in London. What opnimittee? help Mr Becher in the disposal of the pro- murderer made his exit from the room as it

Mr Joseph—Shareholders, I suppose. way or other they have made engagements window. When she saw him she cried what I have said (laughter).

UNION CHURCH ANNUAL MEETING The annual congregational business mesting of Union Church was held in the church on Thursday evening. The pastor, Rev. G. H. Bundfield, presided, and there was a good attendance. The reports of the Secretary report of the Secretary stated that the at-

imprisonment for conscionce sake, is so the Committee of Management for the en- offered a dollar to any one who would do him to superintend the effairs of the College, overdrawn that it becomes a hideous suing year :- Messrs Geo. Murray Bain, J. so, that the poor creature was removed. This would allow us to hope that at leat the Dyer Ball, Hugh McCallum, J. Goosmann, The house was then searched, but nothing ministerial oversight of the institution was That the Governor's suggestion, that vessels J. W. Boyd, D. Gillies W. Powell, G. L. but a bullet was found, for it is needless to placed in thoroughly competent hands, but might be tempted to load and unload Duncan. A. Rodger. J. Lockhead, W. Tay- say the murderer had disappeared, and it is it is not exactly so, for another official, Hau outside the limits of the port, is too lor, W. M. Watson, and the Pastor. Mr conjectured that on bearing Mr. Davik Yang-yi, a Vice-President of the Board of absurd for serious discussion, as the McCallum was appointed Secretary and Mr forcing the door he rushed downstairs and Works, has received the same appointment,

That the Governor's closing remarks con. of which a short musical programme was found corresponds with those used by Mr. unity of parpose. Both the Superintendcerning his sympathy with enforced Sun. gone through. The choir under the leader- Ruff, and his revolver is missing, but strange ente are Ministers of the Taung-li Yamen, day workers, and his readiness to enter ain | ship of Mr Duncan, sang the anthems 'Lift to say on examining his stock of cartridges | all of whose members figure in the College views contrary to his own, appear to up your heads' (Hopkins) and 'Arise, he found them intact, so the murderer calendar as a Board of Regents. me to be rather out of keeping with shine, for they light is come (Elevey) and evidently thought that five shots would be Many indications have been given of late Leslie's part-song 'The Pilgrims.'. Several sufficient to secomplish his diabolical work. that the Government is disposed to raise That, as I said last week, the Prays Re- vocal solos were given, and Miss Field con- The murderer was afterwards arrested the Tung wen College to the status of a climation Bill has not yet passed, and tributed two organ solos.

address, referred to the report as a very resistance, but stated he had taken some the Me hodist Episcopal Mission, which is That I begin to feel a certain amount of satisfactory one. It was gratifying to hear medicine and requested to be allowed to lie busily engaged in organising the 'l'eking sympathy with the Government on that they had finished the year with a bal- down on the boy's bed and die. This re- University. The appointment of the two account of the muddle into which ance in hand, and that the number of seat- quest, it is needless to state, was not com- above-named superintendents. following matters have drifted, but one cannot but | holders was increased, but he must confess plied with, but as he seemed very ill he close upon the erection of an observatory marvel at the audactous case implied in that to him all this was gratifying only in was taken to the Shantung Road Hospital and the promulgation of a law connecting the Governor's proposal to further a certain way. He thought there was a and the stomesh pump ap lied. The native the College with the civil examinations is change the terms of a Crown lesse by temptation here to 'run' a church very doctor, however, stated that the prisoner certainly significant of a design to move inserting a provise in this precious little much on the lines of a public company, had not taken any poison. Prisoner did with the times.

Bill which nobody owns. and to judge of it, as it were, by its good not deny that the shot the women, but We see, is an extract from a Singapore That until the Governor and certain dividends and its large balances. The stated that he had been drinking and that paper, referred to in a Shanghai journal, Take after each meat about a tableapoonful. lawyers' realise that they cannot over. Question of funds had been, as they all he met one of the aurahs in the street last that gold comes from Pahang, a Malayan of Scott's Emulsion of Pure Cod Liver (bil) ride the law of contract and the rights of knew, a difficulty with this church for evening and she insulted him, and he then state, to Peking, and is made up into the with Hypophosphites. It is almost at every property holder at common law, as many years. It was not subsidised by a went home for the revolver and on return gold bars known to commerce here. Now palatable as milk and easily digested. The I have said months ago, this Prays paternal government like its neghbour the log fired the four shots, After that he no gold comes, or probably ever came to rapidity with which delicate children and Ordinance, not to speak of its schedules, cathedral, and the sum of money required wandered about the streets all night and at this city from Pabang, or from any place sickly people suffering from weakness and will be of none effect, saving to illustrate every year was certainly large for so small 9 o'clock this morning went to Mr Lamond's south of the Yangtz, at any rate. The wasting decase improve and thrive upon a number of people, and there was con- house as the boy there was a friend of his Peking gold comes from places perfectly this diet is truly marvellous. As a remedy That the staff of the Victoria College in sequently a heavy burden thrown on the He denied that he had demanded money, well known! Mongolia, Manchuria, the for Consumption and Throat Affections and creases in about the same ratio as that of shoulders of the Committee of Mana ement, but admitted having received 87 on a prethe Public Works Department dwindles. Fr m this point of view the report was no vious occasion. When being taken to the Jeho. It is said that no appreciable paration in the world. Any Chemist can but the College is not yet ready for its doubt satisfactory, but from the minister's h spital he was very anxious to know if he quantity is amuggled from Russian ter supply it. - Watson & Co. (Limited) agents point of view, if they mever got much be- had killed anyone. He was detained in ritory .- Charge Times,

That Rear-Admiral Belknap's call on board | youd a balance in hand at the end of the | the hospital for about an hour and was then the City of Rio, to thank Lieut. General year, the result was poor indeed. A church taken to the station and charged. British troops at the funeral of the late more than pay its way and get its going to press, we learn that the two females Roar-Admiral Chandler, was a graceful seats occupied. It was with a very are still alive and but little hope is enterheavy heart a minister regarded his work | tained of their recovery. That British North Borneo is apparently cometimes and wondered if to had moresubject to other influences besides Beri- ly been 'busting the sir.' He was not Pao this morning it was stated that the taking a pessimistic view of

That a playful Medico fooling round in work of this church. When he began to Such a misstatement as that is clearly attricharge of a Maxim Gun sent a bullet preach there the congregation was a very butable to gross carelesmess and likely to through the funnel of a launch while Mrs small one, and now it had increased con- work an incalculable small of mischlef, Creagh was on board, but fortunately siderably, but he did not want to rest mere- and we trust the mistake will be at once ly with this. He should like to see a new corrected and that our contemporary will That medicine alone in the hands of a spirit of earnestness shown in an attempt be more accurate in cases of this sort in family practitioner is generally supposed to grapple with the evil that was round future. vealed to him in a very decided way the That an uncaught lunatic (presumably a need there was for a stronger and more the railway bridge which is in course of resident) remarked that the Doctor was manifest spiritual life in the Colony. He lucky in getting so well out of the did not mean this in any narrow sense, meant a faith that was not ashamed of ittry should already he able to lay claim departments of life and business. Of the the bridge and met with a little detention to such a perfect specimen of fatuous young men who came to this colony from home in goodly numbers many had told

That the playful gunner and the brilliant him that they felt when they came wit have since been 'cared for' by the here as if every good influence had temporary revival of head-hunting in its been withdrawn and that it was impossible to resist the temptations round about them. That only by such drastic measures can the They saw only one style of life around progress of young countries like North them, and into that they, in spite of good habits and good intentions, were That Captain Wissmann has assured the drawn. The church existed as a refuge and British India merchants that he has been a means of help for spiritual weakness, our, and subsequently orders were issued enecially instructed by his Government and it was in this way that he wished to to encourage their commerce along the see its influence greatly increased. He was glad to say that the success of the recently- a little too squeezable. That England may well pause and rejoice, established Sunday school in regard to at

missionary association. In conclusion, the the site originally chosen for it being

in which he congratulated the scatholders

on the satisfactory character of the reports which had been submitted.

TERRIBLE TRAGEDY IN

SHANGHAL shocking tragedy, resulting in the death of one woman and the probable death of another and a little girl, was perpetrated in Honan Road yesterday evening, says the Shan hai Mercury of 18th. It appears that shortly before 7 o'clock, a boy named Teao Ah-bong, aged 19 years, in the employ of Mr T. Ruff, went to the house No. 238. Bonan Road, which is occupied by a The resolution that the capital be in- Cantonese woman named Ah-Chan. the creased to \$600,000, which was passed at mastress of a seafaring man running out of the former meeting, having been read, the Shanghai, and demanded \$50. He was evidently on intimate terms with the wo-Mr James seconded and the motion was man, as she frequently supplied him with clothes and money; but for some reason volver at her which he had concented up Mr Joseph-I should like to ask when his sleeve. Two amaks and a girl ago It years were in the room at the time, and The Chairman -- I think he will go Home on seeing the revolver they rushed forward to protect the woman when the boy fired, shooting ope of the amahs in the chest, the The Chairman - Probably the latest. If bullet entering one of her lange; it is subhe can make it convenient to go sooner posed that this woman then opened the

than that, he will go. It is left in Mr window and was about to jump out, when Becher's hands to make every necessary Tsao Ah-bong fired again, the bullet shatterready. It is not the directors intention to the window into the road. The annah must him on his arrival. They are awars her in the back, entered her heart, and she of his proposed early departure, and fell backwards accurpse. Not content with his done diabolical work the murdorer fired another inflicting what is feared will prove a mortal wound. How his intended victim escaped is a mystery which she herself cannot ex-The Chairman -A committee formed to plate, nor can she explain when or how the was full of smoke. The first intimation the police had of the occurrence was at 8 min The Chairman-Yes, shareholders who utes to 7 o'clock, when Mr Dzonk reported at the Central Station that he was passing Mr Legge-Before we separate I would along the Honan Road about 6.30 p.m. like to propose a vote of thanks to your- when a woman jumped from the top storey dimensions. The suffering wretches are so self and Mr Davies. I regret to see the window of a Chinese house and nearly fell other directors have not considered the on top of him; he looked up and saw Ahpared as yet with Hongkong and its matter worthy of their attention. In some chan preparing to jump out of the same which have prevented them from attending 'fire,' and he told her not to jump out as the brilliant after-dinner efforts made by to the interests of the body of the share- she would kill herself if she did so; think-Sir George Ferguson Bowen to give the holders. I do not mean to move a vote of ing the house was on fire, he burst open the censure, but I leave it to them to read door and rushed upstairs. On entoring the top-room hesaw a woman lying on the floir near the window and a little girl lying on Times.

a sofa, both ble-ding profusely; seeing that a murder had been committed, he hastened to the Station to give informathe tragedy, and on the way met Captain officials, inview of the reports before them, McEuen, who a companied them. On seem to have no misgivings about the new arriving at the house they found the woman embankment, which, they say, will stand who had jumped out of the window all shooks and strains. The Yellow River (Dr R. H. Kimball) and the Treasurer (Mr lying in the road and apparently dying, and is rising daily, its volume of waters is now J. Gossmann) were read and adopted. The entering the top-room they found the girl large, and the current is waxing strong. on the sofa and the dead woman lying on her back with her feet towards the window. | earth tremor was felt in Peking at 445 tendance at the services of the church had Detective Keeling carried the girl down- p.m., 28th March. shown a constant increase during the stairs and had her and the injured woman Ports by the closing of the Imperial year, which closed with a materially en- taken immediately to the Shantung Road bers, but the birds have evidently had a larged number of seathelders. The report Hospital. As an instance of the abject hard journey from the south on their way That an Act of Toleration exists, possibly also mentioned that since the arrival in Ja- fear, or inhumanity, of the Chinese lower to their favourite tundres; they are very unwritten, in India and almost in every nuary last of a Scotch regiment it had been class we may mention that when the girl was thin, and source worth eating unless in a spot of the British Empire, and this necessary to add about a hundred sittings, brought down not one of the large number salmi. would forbid any compulsory enactment | not with standing which the seating capacity of natives who had assembled outside the of a Christian institution, so that the of the church was still fixed to its utmost house would volunteer to take her on his it is not for want of official nurses. each Sunday. The report of the Treasurer knee and convey ther to the hospital in a Peking Gautte of Sunday last reports that ricksha, and it was not until a Canton the Marquis Tsing had a special audience The following gentlemen were elected as woman, with more heart than courage, to thank the Emperor for having appointed secreted himself in one of the lower rooms and he also has returned thanks at the same Votes of thanks were cordially passed until Mr. Dronk went upstairs, when he time, though this has not so far been menfor any shipowner to leave the port and to the retiring Secretary. Dr Kimball, escaped through the opendoor. The revol- tioned in the Gazette. This arrangement and the retiring Acting Treasurer. Mr ver with which he had done his bloody is, of course, in strict accordance with the That where a shipowner is so anxious to Boyd, also to Miss Field and Mr Powell, work is supposed to be one he had stolen dual system which forms so curious a feaload or discharge his vessel, he would the organists, and Mr Duncan, conductor from his master who, for the last ten years, ture in the Chinese administrative arrange-

On enquiry at the hospital, previous to

In the report of this tragedy in the Shen the murder had been committed by a foreigner.

TIENTSIN NOTES There has been trouble this week about construction between the French Concession and the salt heaps. The large fleet of heavy junks recently arrived from Shanghai and Ningpo crowded the river below in passing through owing to the absence of proper regulation. The junk people, resenting the mere presence of the bridge, of course made a row, and fluttered the dovecotes of the railway directorate, who were induced to pay some black-mail and help the junks through the bridge, by the aid of a tug, in which there was no difficulty whatever. The work on the bridge was at unce suspended in deference to this clamto remove the bridge, which will not be an easy task. The railway authorities are just

The bridge, it must be confessed, is being erected in the most awkward spot that could have been selected in the whole another adjunct of the Church an suxiliary river, just in the middle of a sharp bend, pastor expressed his gratification with the the straight reach of Tzu Chu-lin, which large representation from the Gurrison at was abandoned to please the French Consul and certain landowners in the Mr Dyer Ball also gave a short address, French Concession. The difficulties of the new site are aggravated by the rapid silting up of the river along the right bank, caused by the bunding and piling operations of some of the foreign landowners aforesaid. It is in the Peiho as it was in early days in Shanghai: everybody does what he likes with the river, and there is no controlling authority to regulate the

fancies of individual owners. An intelligent young secretary now here. who was stationed with his chief at Change Chou from the time of the break until about September last, says that he, and all bis fellows considered to reparations were possible. The flow of the river through the breach was tremendous and seemingly irresistible, as everything thrown down was instantly stept away by the rushing toront. It was not possible to put in piling, as at the worst place the water was very deep and full of whirlpools, and stones, bricks, stalks of millet, bags of earth and saud. though thrown down in immense quantities, were carried away so fast that in niew minutes not a trace would be left of a beatload. Wu Ta-chông, so it is said, changed the tacties. He re-organized the labourers into manageable gange, collected enermous supplies of material ready for use, and as soon as the river waters fell, and is torrent at the breach became less violent, he threw down material incessantly by night and day, and finally at the worst part, when the waters were low, obtained a stable foundation, which he atrengthened and then, finally, built up the embaukment, It is said the works have been carried on systematically, and for China with rare honesty. The labourers get their py, the material is paid for regularly, peculation and squeezing are severely punished when discovered, the gangs of men are fairly well fed, and a very strict system of supervision and discipline has been kept up. Respectful mention is made of Li Hung-trao.

whose disgues was unmerited. The miseries of the starving multitudes ruined by the flood, are so great, they are so ill-sheltered and ill-fed that their physical condition is deplerable, that it is feared the first summer heats after the rains will breed a pestilence of serious in fact could not, struggle against any

viol**ent** epidemic. It is said the Peking Covernment has so far, not concerned itself about the ultimate fare of the destitute millions. There are no funds for removing the people to other places, no organization, and in fact no dear comprehension of the matter. - Chinese

PEKING NOTES. We have no further direct news from tion. Inspector Howard and Detective | Kai-feng Fr or Chang Chou about the Yel-Keeling proceeded at once to the scene of low River breach repairs but the Peking A very slight but yet perceptible vertical

Spipe have arrived in considerable num-

If the Tung-wên College dues not thrive kent it loaded in five chambers, between ments, which regard checks which neutra-A conversazione followed, in the course the mattresses of his bed. The bullet lise action as of more importance than

The revolver, with one chamber still loaded, University, in which, however, it seems ending of a very festive day. Singapore The Pastor, in the course of a short was found in his possession. He made no not unlikely to be beaten in the race by

INSTALLATION OF THE SULTAN OF PERAK.

During the whole of last week Kwala

Cangea has been keeping holiday in honour

the installation of Sultan Idris; and

whilet is sports, cockfighting, boat races, theatricals and banquits were the order of the day. The little town was crowded with visitors; Malay chiefs with their no. merous retainers came from every district in Perak; the whole population of the neighbourhood assembled to see the show. and only the Chinese, who, it seems, cate for none of these things, were scantily represented. There was no lack of Europeans, too; about sixty put in an appear. ance, and various arrangements had been mide to accommodate them. The Lady Weld made special trips between Penang and Port Weld and fifteen or sixteen gentlemen made shift to comp out in an attap shed which had been built for the occasion, while they gallantly reserved the house for the ladies, of whom a considerable number were present. The great event to which all the festivities of the week were but the prefude took place on Friday, the 5th : for tunately, it was one of those clear grey days, with a light, steady breeze, which are such a relief to Europeans living in thess regions, and it really was delightfully cool, Kwala Kangsa looked the prettiest place imaginable, with its streets filled with a pidturesque, bustling crowd, eager to enjoy thomselves, the broad river studded with houseboats floating lazly down the stream or lying moored by the bank, and the whole scene backed by lofty well-wooded hills, which with their bold steep slopes and dark vegetation recall the mountains of the Black Forest. About one o'clock the Perak drums were heard in the distance, and an escort of mounted Sikhs, in scarlet coats and magnificent turbans, headed by their gallant chief Major Walker, proceed ed to the Residency, and from thence, ac companied Sir Hugh Low and the official visitors, to the Istant. The scene there was very striking; a new audience cham! bur or balei had been built on to the old house and was approached by an avenue of white umbrellas bordered with red between red and yellow flags, and on either side a Sikh Guard of honour was drawn up. At the end of the avenue a small square space had been fenced off, and there a low dais had been erected, covered with dark red cloth. It was here that Sir Hugh Low was welcomed on his arrival by the Malay chiefe, and encorted by them to the Istana. The other visitors, including the Hon'ble A M. Skinger, Act mg Celonial Secretary, and Mr W. H. Treacher, the Secretary of the Perak Government, had already arrived, The space outside the precincts was filled to overflowing with sightspers; inside the audience chamber there was a more select company. There were rows of chairs for the European visitors, while the Malays sat in native fashion round the room near the wall. At the further end two doors led to the womm's apartments, and between them was placed the Throne of Installation this was lenced in by a low balustrade and was a somewhat showy piece of work is yellow silk, with an embroidered canopy, the work, it seems, of the ladies of the Mahaligei Before it wood the Petarana. small low table, covered with a handsome yellow silk cloth, on which lay the Regalis, most magnificent specimens of the gold smith's art, the most striking being the crown or sap of state, and two puan or sire boxes, all three of gold filagree work and a Hibernian friends would say, 'just bristling' with diamonds. Besides these the sword of state and several large seals or chops' of bye-gone raishs were much When the Resident had entered the

audience chamber the Sultan, who wore a dark coloured uniform and a cap with his badge and star. left the inner apartments and seated himself on the throne. On his right sat the Resident and Lady Low, on chairs of state covered with orange-coloured silk hanging; on his left the Action Colonial Secretary and Mrs Treacher, A the foot of the throne the Sultan's brother. Rajah Hanad, and Rajah Mansur, the son of Sultan Abdullah, seated themselves on mats in an attitude of respectful deference appropriate to the occasion,

The ceremony that followed was short

and simple. Rajah Hamed respectfully handed the sword of state to his brother. who himself put it on, thereby signifying his assumption of sovereignty. Then amidst the roll of drums His Highness took the usth of office, in the following terms :-I. Sultan Idris bin Almarhoun Iskander Shah, Yangdipertuan of the State of Peraki do hereby solemnly promise and swear that I will truly and faithfully rule my kingdom of Perak in accordance with law and the established order of Government, under the protection of Her Mut Gracious Majesti the Queen of England and Empress of India and her heirs and successors for ever. swear this in the presence of Almighty God. The oath was also signed and attested by the Resident, who in a short speed congratulated the Sultan and alluded to the high sense of duty he had always displayed. The Sultan, on his part, expressed his deep obligation, under Heaven, to the Queen and the Governor of the Straits Settlements for the help and protection which they afforded to himself, and his country. A salute of 17 guns was fired and)

ing as Chamberlain and master of the cere-The day closed with a banquet given to the European visitors by the Sultan, who himself presided at the head of the tuble. When the health of the Queen was given the Sultan in a lew brief words expressed his loyalty to Her Majesty, and God Save the Queen was played by the military band outside the hall and en thusiastically taken up by the visitors. The Sultan's health was then proposed and drunk with musical honours, after which the ladies and most of the staider visitors retired, but it is popularly reported that the fun was kept up for some time longer, Mr Caulfield being voted into the chair and tousts and comic songs following one another in rapid succession; but of these proceedings, it is obvious that no connected account can be given, though it seems clear that they constituted a very merry!

the visitors were presented to the Spitan.

who descended from the throne and receiv-

ed his guests with great cordiality, Mr.

Holmes, who looked very distinguished in

black silk stockings and habit de cour, act-

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A SCENE IN THE FRENCH CHAMBER.

We reproduce from the Blandard of 18th March, received by the German mail, the report of the debate in the French Chanber with regard to the accusations made against M. Constans. The debate gives a good insight into the present critical state of affairs in France and shows the fierce temper which animates the parties. It also throws some light on the charges of corruption which have been brought against the Republican lenders and which have done so much to shake the republic :--

lent explosion of Party feeling.

as they had daily evidence of. Changes had lotter: taken place in the morals of the Press. determined to secure the happiness of on that day. The Company then in course I isturned the present."

Republic (applause). slamming of disk lids, honts, yells, cries of A la portel L'expulsion I which lasted all the time that M. Laguerre spoke.

evidence of carrage and self-possession, said April, 1883, addressed by M. Baratte to M. he called upon the Prime Minister to perform a work of political canitation (uprear). Paris, 17th March. -M. Laguerre yester- The document he would read had been day brought under the notice of the Cham- rend before the Court of Correctional Ap- refund the sums they have received and ber a case now under trial at Nancy, from peal at Nancy, and their authenticity was which, in principle, you should not have which he endeavoured to show that seven thereby fully established. In 1882 one appropriated until after the legal constituyears ago Mr Constans had, for a pecuniary Baratte founded an Insurance Company tion of the Company, at that money belongs consideration, consented to lend his name called 'La Ville de Lyon.' It was he who to the shareholders. I am more than surto a bogus Insurance Company, and that was tried on Thursday before the Correc- prised to have to press a man in your when the undertaking fell through he tional Court at Nancy. In order to entice position on so delicate a matter.' showed great reluctance in returning the subscribers, the names of several Deputies | It was only on the 9th of May, 1883 money he had received. This led to a vio- headed the prospectus, and first came that that the ten thousand france illegally pocket-President Méline attempted to provent Interior, se Chairman of the Board of well he had no right to touch them, leaving the subject being discussed, on some Directors, andother Deputies, among them the question of morality out of consideratechnical point; but M. Timed hurried into M. Granet and M. Gaillard. At the time tion, were refunded. There could be no the tribune, and, in an excited tone, said the prospectus was issued, and before the doubt on that point, for M. Constans was he knew absolutely nothing as to the alle- Company was formed, M. Constans received called as a witness before one of the eragations referred to, but M. Laguerre was a cheque for to thousand francs, and two mining magistrates, and made the followutterly mistaken if he supposed he could hundred and lifty Shares, one hundred and ling deposition :intimidate the Government by threats of twenty-five paid up, or, in other words, I did not authorise M. Baratte to place scandal, by accusations picked out of he thirty-one thousand two hundred and fifty my named the list of the Board of Direc-

ed, and which it was sought to destroy, in BARATTE, Charalter of the Legion of Honour. | as Chairman of the Board of Directors, a

France through the consolidation of the of formation having faited to constitute itself, M. Constans was desirous of severing M. Constant asked that M. Laguerre's his connection with it, and wrote to that charges should be proceeded with at once, effect to M. Baratte, adding, 'I remain, and then arous a scene unexampled in my however, at your disposition for the settleexperience. It was not a debate, or a ment of the pecuniary questions pending storm, but a series of prolonged howls, between is.' (Voices from the Centre: Well, that is fair enough?). The Company not having been legally formed, the uproar). shareholders finding that the money they M. Laguerra, whose coolness in the had paid up was not refunded, lodged a midst of the tempest assailed him gives complaint on the matter. A letter, dated

> Constans, was quite conclusive :-- > Our new Board of Directors requires that MM. les Députés should immediately

of M. Constans, former Minister of the ed by a learned lawyer, who knew quite

knewnot what sewers, by blackmailing such francs. This was proved by the following tors of the Ville de Lyon Company. When M. Barrate called upon me to talk over To M. Constans, Deputy, former Minis- this business, I expressly told him that I which occasionally resorted to devices and ter, Chairman of the Board of Directors of refused to show my name to appear in conproceedings calculated to cast discredit upon the Ville de Lyon Company, 18, Rue de nection with a Company in course of formost honourable men; but these detestable Miromesnil, Paris. I send you a cheque mation, when it was contemplated to appeal and reprehensible courses would not deter for ten thousand france, No.23, dated July to the public for funds. I also told him the Ministry from persevering in the per. 28, drawn by the Credit Lyonnais, and that, once the Company was constituted, formence of their duty—to restore to the payable at its Paris Branch. As has been I should see what I would do. But it is ing on the documents I produce; they No, M. Laguerre; nothing of the kind! I country quiet, rest, and peace (applause agreed between us, I will offer you, as only right that I shou'd add that M. Barfrom the Left, and a Voice from the Right: Chairman of the Board of Directors of the rate may have been justified in misappre-How about honour?'), and thus to secure Ville de Lyon, in addition to the ten thou- hending the nature of my reply, and in to Fmnoe the place she should occupy in sand france suclosed, two hundred and believing that I authorised him to regard the great manifestation about to open, lifty Shares, so which one hundred and me as a member of the Board of Directors They wanted to convince the Republican twenty-five faucs have been paid up, of the Company which he proposed creatmajority that it had before it honourable amounting to thirty-one thousand two ing. What he me to think that he acted men, determined to raise the character of hundred and lity france, yearly appoint- in good faith on this occasion is the lac that expression. Parliamentary government, unjustly derid- ments three thousand francs. (Signed), that some little time afterwards he sent me

Mr Horteur. You would never have neut object, in bringing this case before the anything back

The noise and turnult reached fever height when M. Laguerre stated that when M. Constant was entrusted with the formstion of a Cabinet in 1885, M. Floquet and M. Allain Targe declined to act with him, on the advice of M. Clemencoau (great M. Allain Targe and M. Floquet denied

the accuracy of the statement. M. Leguerre said that very day M. Clemenceau had said, in the presence of M. Pelletan and M. Georges Perrin, M. Constant is the only Minister of the Republic who has grown rich in office (tremendous noise), and M. Clemenceau added, 'Ho is the only man who has left office richer than he entered it. We did not deserve the shame put upon us to have M. Constant at the head of the Republic (renewed uproar). These were the words of M. Clemenceau; probably since then he had changed his mind (fresh tamult).

M. Tony Révillon, gesticulating wildly. This is infamous: this is abominable. M. Pichon,-Wait till we bring forward the case of General Boulanger (uproar). M Laguerre. - You can search General Boulanger's life. In spite of all calumnies against him you have not been able to find anything against him. And yet, this being the past of M. Constant, after his mission in Indo-China, you sent

for this defrauding Minister. Here the whole of the House, with the exception of the Right, started to its feet, and rushed into the space round the triburs. The shouts and screams were deafening. President Méline.—This discussion is quite out of place. It is your duty, M. Laguerre, to be more moderate. M. Laguerre. - I was wrong in comment-

President Meline. - Be good enough, M. Laguerre, to tell the House you withdraw your expression (further tumult). M. Laguerro. - Under these circumstances, since I am threatened with the

rules, I formally declare that I maintain There was a further scene, in the midst of which the censure was voted against M.

order to replace it by one man's desputiem- The cheque, dated July 28th, was cashed souvenir; not having accepted these fuec- Laguerre. The excitement increased when M. Laguerre added that it had been his Mails.

House, to produce the documents shaving

the kind of man who had been selected to

prosecute his friends and himself. These

revelations would go to the country. He

and his friends would pursue their tak to

rid the Republic of the parasites who proy-

ed upon it (uproat). They might prosecute

him for political offences; but Depaties

who bartored away their trust for money

were ripe for Mazas and the Correctional

Police (applause from the right; a clorus

M. Constans said :- Gentlemen .- I feel

When I came home from hodo-

honoured by the attack just made upon

China, M. Laguerre was one of the first

persons to call upon me. It was apar-

ontly thought that he might be a suitable

recruit (laughter). M. Naquot also alled

upon me and suggested a breakfast at a

restaurant with a certain General (laughter).

I told him that I would never be a Bou-

langist, and this refusal is, no doubt the

cause of the present attack (laughter and

applause). I dedine to honour M. Laguerro

with a reply, but I may say to the Chimber

that seven years ago I received a visitirom

M. Baratte, who wanted nie to join a In-

surance Company in the course of form-

ation. I declined. Hearing, howver,

that he had made use of my name, Inoti-

fied to him that I should send him slegal

summons to remove it from the list. I was

informed that this was done. As to the

ton thousand finnes cheque on the Oredit

for having refund to belong to an Insurance

your accusations. I shall go on with my

I do not choose to say (tremendous aplantes

In a short reply, M. Laguerre pointed

out that M. Constans had cashel the

on the 20th May, 1883. In conclusion, he moved- The Chamber, solicitous for the

honour of its members, passes to the Order

of the Day :' but this was set aside by the

Order of the Day pure and simple, which

was almost unanimously carried, only nine

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(applause and laughter). We can state pany's Black Bills of Lading. where our money comes from; that is not | Passengers desirous of insuring their bagthe case with you and yours (renewed gage can do so on application at the Comapplause). Say what you please, I despise pany's Office. This Steamer takes Cargo and Passengers Company, No. 50A, Queen's Road Central. duty, and how far it may compel me to go for MARSEILLES. E. L. WOODIN,

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STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID.

MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS, ALEXANDRIA, MARSEILLES, AND PORTS OF BRAZIL, AND LA PLATA

LONDON, HAVRE AND BORDEAUX THURSDAY, the 25th April, 1889, at Noon, the Company's S.S. (2). Illustrated Papers and Books or the Student's Reading Room and Library. | ANADYR, Commandant DELACROIX,

with MAILS. PASSENGERS, SPECIE

and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above places, Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the

principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted Noon. Cargo will be received on board until p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on

the 24th April, 1889. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at (FORMERLY ADVOLED APPRENTICE AND LAT- the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are re-For further particulars, apply

> Company's Office. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, April 17, 1889.

> > U. S. MAIL LINE. PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP OOMPANY.

THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA. VERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THE U. S. Mail Steamship CITY OF PEKING will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama on THURS-DAY, 2nd May, at 1 p.m., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe.

Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokoliama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and Denierara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and

connecting Steamers. Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers. First-class Fares granted as follows :-To San Francisco \$200.00 To San Francisco and return, 350.00 available for 6 months ... 350.00 To Liverpool 325.00

To London ... 330.00

To other European points at proportionals

rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Bervice and the Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on application. Passengers by this Line have the option of proceeding overland by the Southern Pacific and connecting Lines, Central Pacific. Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific

1340 Railways Passengers, who have paid full fare, reembarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice persa) within one year will be allowed a discount of 10 %. This allowance Company, are authorized to Insure and Japan to Europe;

Freight will be received on board until p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages will be received at the office until

5 p.m., same day; all Parcel Packages

should be marked to address in full; value

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices in Sealed Envelopes. addressed to the Collector of Customs at San

For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 501, Queen's Road Central. O. D. HARMAN

Mails.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS

Occidental & Oriental Steam-Ship Company.

TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE,

THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS,

ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.

ITHE Steamshift BELGIO will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama and Honolulu, on WEDNES-DAY, the 24th Instant, at 1 p.m. Connection being made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan

All Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full : and same will be required at the Company's Office, until 6 p.m. the day previous to sailing.

First-class Fares granted as follows :-To San Francisco \$200.00 To San Francisco and return, 350.00 available for 6 months To Liverpool ... 325.00 To London ... 330.00

To other European points at proportion-ate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Bervice that such incidents might caure me wab. Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office and the Imperial Chinese Customs, to be eltained on application. Passengers by this Line have the option shall march against you and your friends transhipped at Colombo; Ten and General of proceeding overland by the Southern

Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-For further Particulars regarding embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be allowed a discount of 10 %. This allowance

does not apply to through fares from Ohing and Japan to Europe. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco. the meanwhile you live as if you had note the terms and conditions of the Com- in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to the Collec-

tor of Customs, San Francisco. For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the O. D. HARMAN.

Hongkong, April 9, 1889. CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

AKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, CANADA, THE UNITED STATES, AND EUROPE, VIA

THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY IND OTHER CONNECTING RAILWAY LINES & STEAMERS.

THE British Steamship BATAVIA, 2.553 Tons Register, Auto, Commander, will be despatched for VANCOU-VER. B.C. vid NAGABAKI KOBE and YOKOHAMA (passing through the Inland Sea), on THURSDAY, the 25th April, at Noon. To be followed by the B.S. PORT

AUGUSTA on the 9th May, and S.S. PARTHIA, on the 23rd May. Connection will be made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghal and Japan Ports, and at Vancouver with Pacific Coast Points, by the regular Steamers of the

PACIFIC COAST STEAMSHIP COMPANY and other Steamers. Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers First class Bares granted as follows :--To Vancouver & Victoria, Mez. \$160.00. To all common points in Canada and the United States To Laverpool 800.00 To London

To other European points at proportion-ate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the Imperial Chinese and Japanese Customs, to be obtained on application. Consular Luvoices to accompany Cargo destined to points in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices addressed to Mr. D. E. BROWN, District Freight Agent, Vancouver, B.C. Freight will be received on board until 4 p.m. on the 24th April.

All Parcels must be sent to our Office and should be marked to address in full: and the same will be received by us until b p.m. the day previous to sailing. For information as to Passage or Breight

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, April 11, 1889.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI, GENOA, ANTWERP, BREMEN & HAMBURG, PORTS IN THE LEVANT, BLACK

SEA & BALTIO PORTS; ALSO, LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS, GALVESTON & SOUTH AMERICAN

PORTS THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL LT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS AND LUGGAGE.

N.B. - Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for the principal places in

Steamship BAYERN Capt. J. MERGELL with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE and CARGO, will leave this pert as above. Shipping Orders will be granted till 10 a.m., Cargo will be received on board until 1 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 19 a.m. on the 8th May 1889, (Parcels are not to be sent on hoard, they must be left at the AGENCY's Office). Contents and Value of Packages are required.
The Steamer has splendid Accommodation and Carries a Doctor and Stewardess.

For further Particulars, apply to MELOHERS & Co.

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Refineries. China Sugar Refining Co., Ld. Luzon Sugar Refining Co., Ld.	1878 1882		15,000\$ 7,000\$	1	all	none none	\$ 12,100.07 Dr. \$ 18,466.48	(15 per cent. for 1888, 6 per cent paid 24/8,68 12 per cent paid 19/2/80 none	<u> </u>	\$195, sellers \$97, buyers	\$197 \$103	\$188 \$95
Wharves. Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf } & Godown Co., Limited	1886	\$ 1,700,000	17,0008	100	all	none	& 2,765.25	5°/, for yr. end- ing 31/12/88	March 7, 89	96 % prem.,	101 °/a prem.	93 °/ _o prem
Hongkong Land Investment& } Agency Company, Ld }	1889	\$ 2,500,000	25,0008	1008	50	_	-	First year	-	\$140, nom.	8142 <u>1</u>	\$140
ways Company, Limited)	1887	\$ 120,000	1,2008	100\$	50	-	-	\$4 per slare=16 per cent, per annum paid for First 6 m, ending 30/11/86	Th. 00 0	8·225 % prem.,	-	_
Mining. Perak Tin Mining & Smelting Co	111	-	5,000\$	50.8	1	_	*	1 -	-	\$25, sellera	\$27	\$25
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Hotels, Building, &c. Horgkong Hotel Co., Limited .	. 1866	g 300,000		100	all	none	\$ 825.5(21% for 6 m. end- ing 31/12/88	> Mar. 11, 8	9 \$195, buyers		
Austin Arms Hotel & Building) Company, Limited				- 50.8	20	_	-	First year	'	5 °/. pm., nor	a.	
Poak Hotel & Trading Co., Ld. West Point Building Co., Ld.	1889 1889	\$ 200,000 \$ 625,000	4,000 12,500 8			_	=	First year	=	\$25, sellers \$60, sellers	=	
Dispensaries. A. S. Watson & Co., Limited .	1886	\$ 380,000	3,800\$	160	all	\{\\$ 15,000 \} \{\\$ *5,000 \}	\$ 411.43	MCORRE LOOF.	Tream of a	8 108 °/, prem.	, 106 % p.w.	98 % pren
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